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February 10, 2015

VIA ECF

Honorable Vincent L. Briccetti United States Courthouse 300 Quarropas Street -- Room 630 White Plains, New York 10601

Re: Perini/O&G, a Joint Venture v. Usiminas Mecanica S.A. et al

Civil Action No. 12 CV 1931 (VB)

Dear Judge Briccetti:

We are attorneys for plaintiff Perini/O&G, a Joint Venture in the referenced action.

We write to you concerning a request for an adjournment of Defendant's Motion for Reconsideration of this Court's Memorandum Decision dated January 20, 2015. Currently, our Opposition is due by February 17, 2015 and Defendant's Reply is due by February 24, 2015. Due to a virus-type illness and the recent severe weather, I have missed several days of work which has put me behind in the progress of this matter, as well as other matters. In addition, the parties are engaging in settlement discussions. As a result, it is respectfully requested that the due date for our Opposition be extended to March 2, 2015 and that Defendant's Reply to be due by March 10, 2015.

In order to keep the same sequence of currently scheduled matters, it is also respectfully requested that the due date for the joint pretrial order currently scheduled for February 20, 2015 be adjourned to March 6, 2015. Also, the status conference currently scheduled for February 27, 2015 be adjourned to March 13, 2015.

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No prior requests for adjournments of the above scheduled dates have been requested. Counsel for Defendant consents to the granting of this request. Thank you.

Very truly yours,

Michael J. Hogan

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cc: Jeffrey Gilmore, Esq.